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Classified list of principal commodities. —
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for adoption a revised —, Communicated to the
Consulting Engineer for Railways.

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Articles.	Articles.
I Coal and coke carried for the public and foreign railways.	VII Hides and skins— <i>concl.</i> (a) Skins of sheep, &c.— (a) Dressed or tanned. (b) Raw.
II Cotton, raw.	VIII Horns.
III Cotton, manufactured— (1) Twist and yarn, European. (2) Twist and yarn, Indian. (3) Piece-goods, European. (4) Piece-goods, Indian.	IX Jute— (1) Raw. (2) Gunny bags and cloth.
IV Drugs and chemicals— (1) Intoxicating, other than opium. (2) Non-intoxicating— (a) Cinchona bark. (b) Others.	X Lac— (1) Stick. (2) Shell.
V Dyes and tans— (1) Indigo. (2) Myrabolams. (3) Cutch. (4) Turmeric. (5) Aniline dyes. (6) Others.	XI Leather, manufactured.
VI Grain and pulse— (1) Wheat. (2) Rice in the husk. (3) Rice not in the husk. (4) Jawar and bajra. (5) Gram and pulse. (6) Others.	XII Liquors— (1) Beer. (2) Spirits. (3) Wines.
VII Hides and skins— (1) Hides of cattle— (a) Dressed or tanned. (b) Raw.	XIII Metals— (1) Copper, unwrought. (2) Brass, unwrought. (3) Copper, wrought. (4) Brass, wrought. (5) Iron. (6) Others.
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	XV Oil-seeds— (1) Linseed. (2) Rape and mustard.

Classified list of principal commodities carried by railway—concl'd.

Articles.	Articles.
XV Oil-seeds—concl'd. (3) Til or jinjili. (4) Poppy. (5) Earthnuts. (6) Castor. (7) Others.	XXIV Spices— (1) Betel-nuts. (2) Pepper. (3) Ginger. (4) Chillies. (5) Cardamoms. (5) Others.
XVI Opium.	XXV Stone and lime.
XVII Paper and paste-board.	XXVI Sugar— (1) Refined or crystalized including sugar-candy. (2) Unrefined, viz., mollasses and jaggery or gur and other saccharine produce.
XVIII Provisions— (1) Ghee. (2) Dried fruits and nuts. (3) Others.	XXVII Tea— (1) Foreign. (2) Indian.
XIX Railway plant and rolling stock. <i>Carried for the public and foreign railways—</i> (1) Locomotive engines and tenders. (2) Carriages and trucks. (3) Materials for construction— (a) Wooden sleepers. (b) Other sorts.	XXVIII Timber. XXIX Tobacco— (1) Unmanufactured. (2) Manufactured— (a) Cigars. (b) Other sorts.
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XXI Saltpetre, &c.— (1) Saltpetre. (2) Other saline substances.	XXXI Wool, manufactured— (1) Piece-goods, European. (2) Piece-goods, Indian. (3) Shawls.
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The totals of all statements submitted to the Government of India, Public Works Department, in which the traffic in commodities carried by railway is shown, should be the sum of items I, II and IV (r)—abstract I, of the half-yearly capital and revenue accounts.

[Heads of Departments.]

Circular No. III Railway.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RAILWAY STATISTICS.

To

THE SECRETARIES TO THE GOVERNMENTS OF MADRAS, BOMBAY AND BENGAL, IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

THE CHIEF COMMISSIONERS OF BURMA AND ASSAM.

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THE CONSULTING ENGINEERS TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA FOR RAILWAYS, CALCUTTA, CENTRAL DIVISION, LUCKNOW AND ASSAM.

Classified list of principal commodities revised.

Simla, the 27th March 1893.

SIR,

In supersession of the orders contained in Public Works Department letter No. 621 R.T., dated the 31st May 1887, and of all subsequent orders on the subject, the control of ~~the~~ *your control*

I am directed to forward for adoption on the railways under ~~the~~ *your control* a revised "classified list" of articles carried by railway, and to request that the classification shown in this list may be followed in future in preparing the returns of principal commodities of railway-borne traffic submitted with the half-yearly capital and revenue accounts and with the annual traffic return supplied for Part I of the Director General of Railways' administration reports. The classification now approved should also be followed in preparing all other returns submitted to the Government of India, Public Works Department, in which the traffic in commodities carried by railway is shown.

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I have the honour to be,

SIR,

Your most obedient Servant,

F. B. HEBBERT,

Under Secretary.

Document accompanying.
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Order No. 1st May 1893. No. 796 R.

Communicated to the Consulting Engineer for Railways for information and guidance in supersession of G.O. No. 432 R dated 16th June 1887 and of all subsequent orders on the subject.

/ True Extract /

(Sd) F. R. Upcott.
Joint Secy. to Govt. P.W.D.
By Branch

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